

## 4<sup>th</sup> Annual ART Blast Exhibition and Fair

McKinley Arts & Culture Center: East and West Galleries

Gallery Exhibition: August 24<sup>th</sup> – September 12<sup>th</sup> Gallery Reception: September 11<sup>th</sup> 5:00-7:00pm

Fair Dates: September 11th 3:00-8:00pm and September 12th 10:00am-4:00pm

McKinley Arts & Culture Center will be hosting the 4<sup>th</sup> annual Visual Art Blast Exhibition and Fair. On Friday Sept. 11<sup>th</sup> and Saturday Sept. 12<sup>th</sup> The Biggest Little Art Show Today (BLAST) is an outdoor art fair that will be featured on the south lawn of McKinley Arts & Culture Center. 29 regional artists have been selected to showcase their artwork in the East and West Galleries of McKinley from August 24<sup>th</sup> – September 12<sup>th</sup>, culminating with the art fair. Spanning media from gourds to glass, this group of artists highlights a diverse range of talent that is exemplary of the Great Basin.

Exhibiting Artists: Andrea LaHue (Multimedia), Arthur Domagala (Photography), Barbara Handau (Painting), Bryce Chisholm (Painting), Carol Gilman (Painting), Carola Nan Roach (Glass and Painting), Casey Clark (Ceramics), Don Fotine (Painting), Emma Auriemma-Mckay (Painting), John Manley (Ceramics), Josie Luciano (Painting), Katrina Lasko(Sculpture), Kristy Dial (Painted Gourds), Lisa Kurt (Painting), Mahsan Ghazianzad (Painting), Max Mattson (Ceramics), Michelle Lassaline (Painting), Mike Lucido (Painting), Poxodd (Painting), Rachael Holton (Mixed Media), Rebecca Ewart (Photography), Richard McGregor (Ceramics), Sande Rowan (Basket Weaving), Stephane Cellier (Painting), Susan Handau (Painting), Tricia Tribble (Jewelry), Trish Reynolds (Photography), and Vincent Cascio (Photography).

The City of Reno will purchase a piece from the McKinley Art BLAST Gallery show that receives the most votes by the public during the weekend art fair. The Best of Show prize will be awarded by the Art BLAST jury to the artist who has the most professional display and highest quality work. The reception will be Friday, September 11, 5:00-7:00, hosted by Art Spot Reno.

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